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	AD	4,545,136	10/1985	Izu et al.			
	AE	4,948,979	08/1990	Munakata et al.			
	AF	5,076,205	12/1991	Vowles et al.			
	AG	5,172,849	12/1992	Barten et al.			
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	AD	5,640,751	06/1997	Faria			
	AE	5,592,581	01/1997	Okase			
	AF	5,693,288	12/1997	Nakamura			
	AG	5,746,434	05/1998	Boyd et al.			
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	AD	6,089,543	07/2000	Freerks			
	AE	6,174,366 B1	01/2001	Ihantola			
	AF	6,178,660 B1	01/2001	Emmi et al.			
	AG	6,192,827 B1	02/2001	Welch et al.			
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	AD	6,263,829 B1	07/2001	Schneider et al.			
	AE	6,280,584 B1	08/2001	Kumar et al.			
	AF	6,347,918 B1	02/2002	Blahnik			
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	AC	10/132,767		Dando et al. (as filed)			04/24/2002
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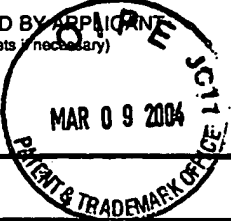
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	AB	6,309,161 B1	10/2001	Hofmeister	414	221	
	AC	6,602,346 B1	08/2003	Gochberg et al.	118	715	
	AD	6,562,141 B2	05/2003	Clarke	118	719	
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